

Samuel Forman House,  
Syracuse, New York

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WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

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Historic American Buildings Survey  
Normah R. Sturgis, District Officer  
353 Broadway, Albany, N.Y.

SAMUEL FORMAN HOUSE  
ONONDAGA COUNTY  
409 WEST SENECA STREET (TURNPIKE)  
SYRACUSE, N. Y.

In 1803 Samuel Forman came to Onondaga Valley at the age of fifteen. In 1812 he built his home.

The Forman family were prominent here. Samuel's brother Joshua assisted in bringing the Canal through Syracuse and is therefore known as the "father of Syracuse".

Merton E. Granger,  
Author

Samuel Forman House  
409 West Seneca Street  
Syracuse, Onondaga County -  
New York

Owner: Mr. Hugh P. McCarthy

Date of Erection: 1812

Architect: No record

Builder: No record

Present Condition: Good

Number of Stories: Two, and cellar

Materials of Construction: Brick

Other Existing Records: See list

Additional Data: See following page. The mantels  
and interior door trims have been removed  
from the house by the present owner and stored  
at 5018 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York.